

***IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE***

***ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 085449-0159***

Applicant: Alejandro MERINO et al.

Title: PROTEIN COMPLEXES OF THE TIP60 TRANSCRIPTIONAL  
ACTIVATOR PROTEIN AS WELL AS COMPONENTS,  
FRAGMENTS AND DERIVATIVES THEREOF AND  
METHODS FOR USING THE SAME

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Prior to examination of the present Application, Applicants respectfully request that the application be amended as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows.